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## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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## Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0070045
Inspection Type:	PARTIAL
Inspection Date:	Tuesday, June 08, 2010
Start Date/Time:	6/8/2010 10:02:00 AM
End Date/Time:	6/8/2010 10:42:00 AM
Last Inspection:	Monday, May 10, 2010

Inspector: Pete Hess, Environmental Scientist III

Weather: Clear, 70's F.

InspectionID Report Number: 2382

Accepted by: jhelfric

6/21/2010

#### Representatives Present During the Inspection:

OGM Pete Hess Environmental Scientist III

Permittee: **HEADWATERS ENERGY SERVICES**

Operator: **HEADWATERS ENERGY SERVICES**

Site: **COVOL SITE**

Address: **1865 S RIDGE RD, WELLINGTON UT**

County: **CARBON**

Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**

Permit Status: **PROPOSED**

#### Current Acreages

30.00	<b>Total Permitted</b>
30.00	<b>Total Disturbed</b>
	<b>Phase I</b>
	<b>Phase II</b>
	<b>Phase III</b>

#### Mineral Ownership

- ☐ Federal  
☐ State  
☐ County  
☐ Fee  
☐ Other

#### Types of Operations

- ☐ Underground  
☐ Surface  
☐ Loadout  
☐ Processing  
☐ Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

Mr. Kyle Edwards, Plant Manager represented the Permittee during today's inspection.  
Monday, June 7, 2010 saw temperatures in the mid-nineties in Carbon County.

Inspector's Signature:

*Pete Hess*

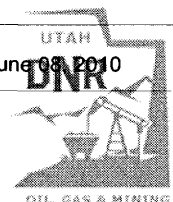
Date

Tuesday, June 08, 2010

Pete Hess, Environmental Scientist III

Inspector ID Number: 46

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**REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS**

1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
  - a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
  - b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

	Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Signs and Markers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Topsoil	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Explosives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Noncoal Waste	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Slides and Other Damage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Backfilling And Grading	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Subsidence Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Cessation of Operations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.b Roads: Drainage Controls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Other Transportation Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. AVS Check	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Air Quality Permit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
21. Bonding and Insurance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### **3. Topsoil**

The Permittee hand broadcast new seed onto the bottom half of the topsoil piles ( both east and west side piles) and then hand raked the seed in, breaking the soil crust. Mr. Edwards made this decision because of the fear of the loss of the seed from high velocity winds. Mr. Edwards intends to apply seed to the top volumes of soil in the near future. The same process to hand rake the seed into the soil will be implemented.

### **4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments**

Both the east and west sediment ponds were observed as dry. No compliance issues were identified relative to the ponds.

### **9. Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues**

Mr. Edwards stated that the Division had completed phase one of a two phase burrowing owl survey during the week of May 31st at the COVOL site. This survey is a permit requirement. .

### **20. Air Quality Permit**

A truck was wetting the haul roads at the site during todays inspection.